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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 02-018

Comments

[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated September 1998.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

a. Since s. NR 10.001 (10) already exists, the text of SECTION 1 should be placed in a different subsection in s. NR 10.001. To place the term in alphabetical order, it should be in a new subsection between subs. (9e) and (9m).

b. Since the provisions created by Clearinghouse Rule 00-154 have been published in the Administrative Register and are now effective, it is not necessary to include the phrase “as created by clearinghouse rule order 00-154” in the treatment clauses in SECTIONS 3 and 4.

4. Adequacy of References to Related Statutes, Rules and Forms

In the analysis accompanying the rule, the lists of statutes that authorize promulgation of the rule and of the statutes that the rule interprets are unduly broad and vague. Can the department list relevant subsections or paragraphs?

5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language

In s. NR 10.125 (2) (c) 2., there should be a space after “submit”.